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[REDACTED] the following  
information on ministries and military casernes in Rumania. /Fin-  
pointed in Enclosures A and B7.

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<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Located on Carol St.
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Same as above.
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Same as above.
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Located on Mircea Voda St.
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Same as above.
U/1 Military Caserne	CONSTANTA	Same as above.
Ministry of External Affairs (MAE-Ministerul Afacerilor Externe)	BUCHAREST	Located on Bonaparte Ave.
Ministry of War	BUCHAREST	Located on Brezoianu St.

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<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Ministry of Internal Affairs (MAI-Ministerul Afacerilor Interne)	BUCHAREST	Located on Blvd. Ionel C. Bratianu.
Subordinate Offices of the Ministry of War	BUCHAREST	Located on R. Poincare St.

- 25X1 2. [ ] the following information, dated October 1953, on the Rumanian Security Forces (Securitate) and a Border Guard Unit. Subordination was unknown.

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Security Forces Officers' School (Școala de Securitate)	BUCHAREST	Situated on Stefan Cel Mare Ave. Personal observation and common knowledge among the people.
U/1 Security Forces Caserne	Area of BUCHAREST	25X1 [ ] (new construction) approx. eight kilometers north of BUCHAREST, off the main highway leading to PLOESTI 25X1 [ ] capacity 25X1 at 2,000 troops. 25X1 [ ] undetermined number of Rumanian troops wearing blue shoulder boards and collar flashes. Further details unknown.
U/1 Security Forces Caserne	Area of BUCHAREST	25X1 [ ] (new construction) approx. 10 km. north of BUCHAREST, off the main highway leading to PLOESTI. 25X1 [ ] capacity of 25X1 caserne at 2,000 troops. 25X1 [ ] undetermined number of Rumanian troops wearing blue shoulder boards. Further details unknown.
U/1 Security Forces Bn	CONSTANTA	25X1 Situated on Carol St. [ ] undetermined number of troops wearing blue shoulder boards.
U/1 Border Guard Unit	CONSTANTA	25X1 Situated between Carol and Harbor Sts. 25X1 [ ] undetermined number of troops wearing light green shoulder boards, collar flashes and cap bands.

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25X1 3. [redacted] following information, dated 1953, on Soviet military installations. Subordination was unknown.

Unit	Location	Remarks
U/i Soviet Hq.	CONSTANTA	Situated on St. Tomis St, formerly a court house.
	25X1	[redacted] Soviet headquarters many times and observed several Soviet general officers wearing one star on a yellow shoulder board with red piping. Other Soviet officers, [redacted]
	25X1	[redacted] field officers and company officers, wore yellow shoulder boards with black, blue, and red piping. Approximately 60 staff cars were usually parked near the headquarters.
U/i Soviet Officers/Casino and possibly a Soviet Hq.	CONSTANTA	Situated on Mircea Voda St. [redacted] Soviet field and company grade officers wearing dress shoulder boards with yellow background and red or black piping, and cuff patches, entering this building with ladies.
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U/i Soviet Hq.	BUCHAREST	Situated on Cobalescu St.
	25X1	[redacted]
	25X1	[redacted] Soviet troops entering and leaving the headquarters.
U/i Soviet Motor Pool	CONSTANTA	Situated on Mircea Voda St.

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Enclosures:

- Pinpointed Locations of Military Installations in CONSTANTA, Rumania, with legend.
- Pinpointed Locations for Military Installations in BUCHAREST, Rumania (Part I & II).

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Enclosure A

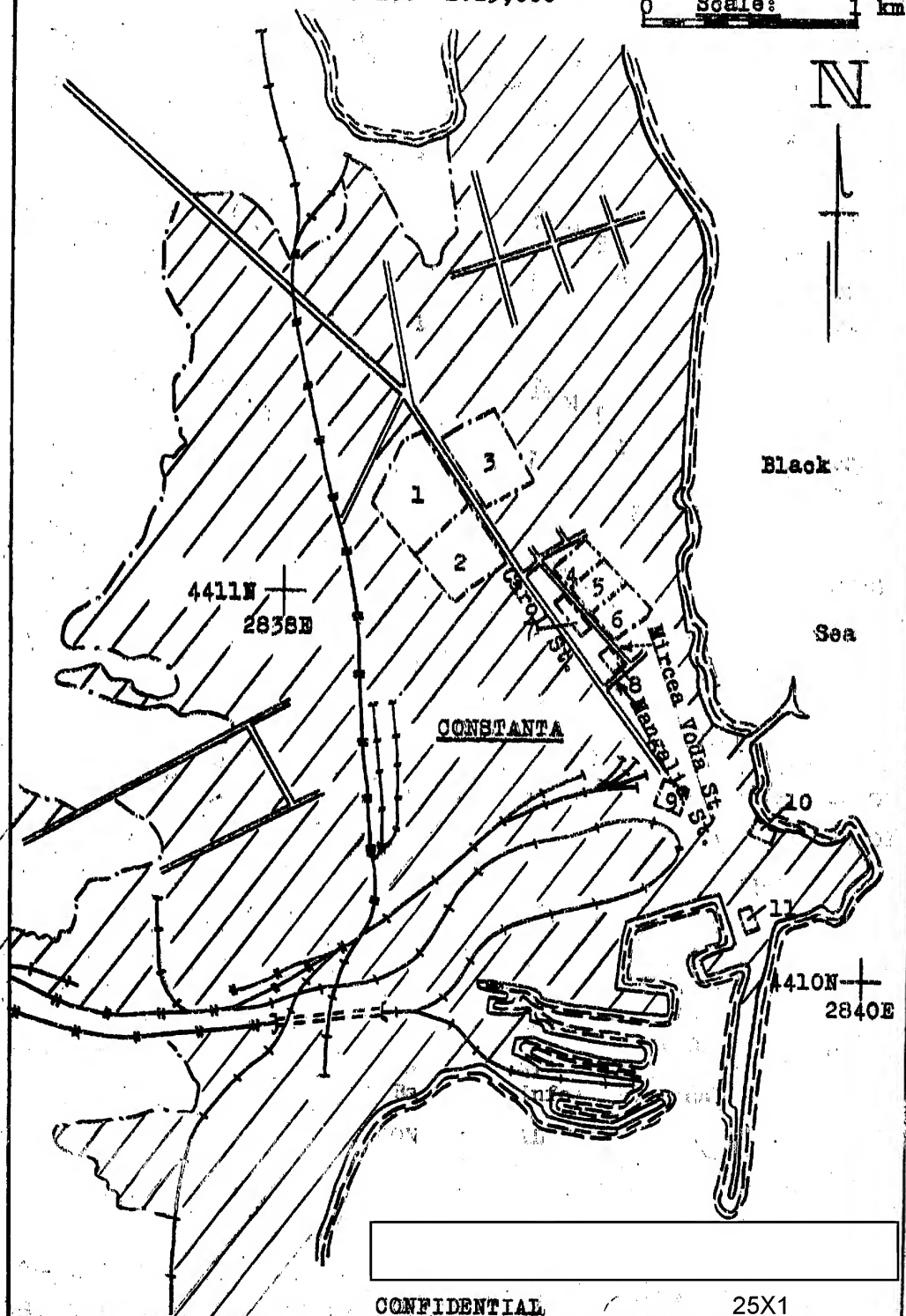
Pinpointed Locations of Military Installations in  
CONSTANTA, Rumania

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CONSTANTA, Rumania  
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## Enclosure A

Pinpointed Locations of Military Installations in  
CONSTANTA, Rumania

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LEGEND

1. U/i Military Caserne - situated approximately in the center of the city and covering an area of approximately 350 x 400 meters. [ ] approximately 3000 Rumanian and Soviet troops in this caserne. [ ] estimated [ ] maximum capacity of the caserne at 6000 troops. The troops were predominantly Soviet with a ratio of 2 or 3 to 1 Rumanian soldier. [ ]

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[ ] the Soviet troops wore black shoulderboards. Branch of Rumanian troops was unknown.

2. U/i Military Caserne - same as item #1 above, except that the caserne covered an area of approximately 340 x 310 meters.
3. U/i Military Caserne - same as item #1 above, except the caserne covered an area of approximately 300 x 400 meters.
4. U/i Military Caserne - situated approximately in the center of the city and covered an area of approximately 200 x 100 meters. [ ] approximately 3000 Rumanian and Soviet troops to be in this caserne, with the maximum capacity of the caserne at 6000 troops. Approximately half were Soviet troops, who supposedly wore black shoulderboards. Branch of Rumanian troops was unknown. [ ]
5. U/i Military Caserne - same as item #4, above, except the caserne covered an area of approximately 100 x 150 meters.
6. U/i Military Caserne - same as item #4, above, except the caserne covered an area of approximately 200 square meters.
7. U/i Soviet Motor Pool - the area was surrounded by a barbed wire fence and covered approximately 60 x 200 meters. [ ] several Soviet sentries on duty. [ ] 60 various types of vehicles inside the enclosure.
8. U/i Soviet Officers' Casino and possibly a Soviet Hq. occupied a former high school building, 3-4 stories high, on Mircea Voda St.

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9. U/i Soviet Hq - occupied a former court house on St. Tomis St.
10. U/i Rumanian Security Force Bn - billeted in a large brick building on Carol St. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] (It was commonly referred to by the inhabitants as a battalion.)
11. U/i Rumanian Border Guard Unit - occupied a large brick building between Carol and Harbor Sts. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] the personnel as having light-green cap bands and collar patches. No further details.

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**Enclosure B, Part I**

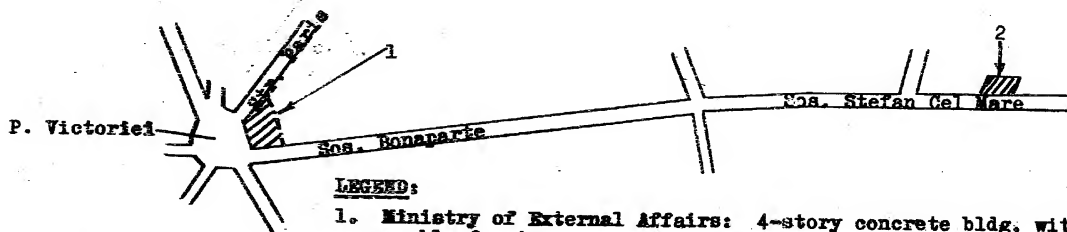
**Pinpointed Location of Military Installations in BUCHAREST, Rumania**

**Map Ref:**

**BUKAREST**

Published by the German General  
Staff of the Army, Military Map  
and Survey Section, 1940  
Scale: 1:10,000

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**LEGEND:**

1. Ministry of External Affairs: 4-story concrete bldg, with marble front.
2. Security Forces School: 3 to 4-story, red brick bldg, formerly Gendarme Headquarters.

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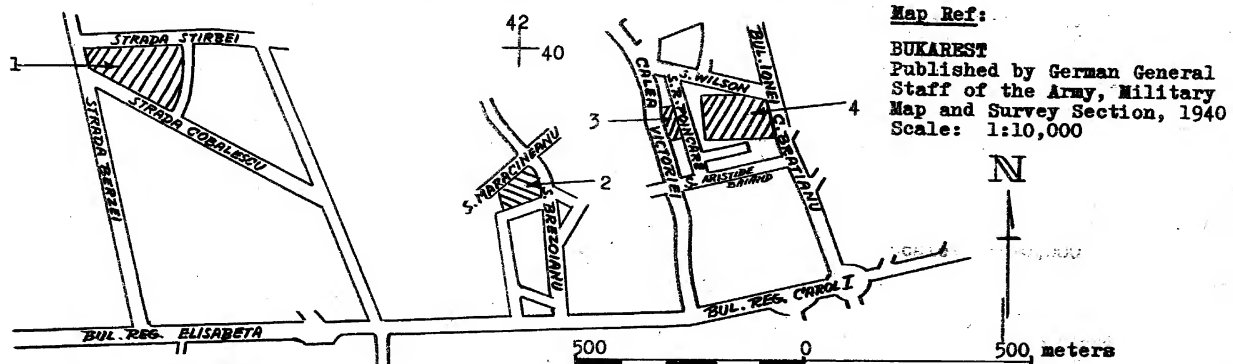
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Enclosure B, Part II

Pinpointed Location of Military Installations in BUCHAREST, Rumania



LEGEND:

1. U/i Soviet Hq: several light colored bldgs.
2. Ministry of War: about 4 stories; light colored bldg.
3. Subordinate Offices of the Ministry of Internal Affairs
4. Ministry of Internal Affairs: several bldgs, 5 to 8-stories high, with marble fronts. Includes offices of Ministry of Propaganda.

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